

F-16 Fighting Falcon Fast Facts



Proven Air Dominance: The F-16 Advantage

The F-16 delivers advanced air dominance capabilities to our customers, enabling peace through strength. With a proven track record, the F-16 fosters long-standing strategic relationships with America and its allies, bolstering deterrence and peacekeeping missions worldwide.



Program Status



~3,100
F-16s Operating in
29 Countries



13 Million+
Sorties and Counting



Flight Hours
19.5 Million+



Structural Service Life
12,000 hour
(Block 70/72)



Block 70/72 Production
108 Backlog
32 Deliveries
6 Countries



Suppliers Worldwide
~530



Poland Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of National Defence signs a LOA to modernize the Polish F-16 fleet to the F-16V configuration.

Photo courtesy of the Ministry of National Defence of the Republic of Poland

Recent Milestones

- On Aug. 13, Poland's Ministry of National Defence finalized a Letter of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) with the U.S. government to modernize its fleet of 48 F-16 Block 52+ aircraft to the advanced F-16 Viper (F-16V) configuration.
- On June 11, Lockheed Martin announced the approval of synthetic aviation turbine fuel (SATF) capability for the F-16, which expands fuel options and enhances energy resilience and mission readiness for F-16 operators.
- On May 28, Bulgaria's first F-16 Block 70 conducted its inaugural flight in-country, marking the completion of the aircraft's technical acceptance phase.

Operators Past & Current

